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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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: ALUMINUM-COPPER-MAGNESIUM  
: ALLOYS HAVING ANCILLARY  
: ADDITIONS OF LITHIUM

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Sir:

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR Sections 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants submit herewith a copy of the document cited on the attached Form PTO/SB/08B for consideration during prosecution of this application.

The document cited on the attached Form PTO/SB/08B is U.S. Application Serial No. 09/591,904 filed June 12, 2000. The 09/591,904 application is assigned to Alcoa, Inc., the same assignee as the present application, and names at least one of the same inventors named in the present application.

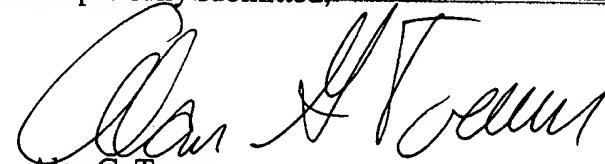
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